

## A FIGHT FOR A LIFE.

Lawyers Working Hard to Save Jeff Wilson's Neck.

NOTHING BEING LEFT UNDONE.

The Perjuror in the Case Released From the Army.

Consideration of a Bill of Exceptions to be Given at the Present Term of Court.

The arrival through the mails yesterday of a legal instrument that released a man, who has been living in Phoenix under restraint, for several months, from further connection with the standing army of the United States, revived a transaction whose different phases have caused not only territorial interest but National fame. William Varnum, a colored man, who has been a prisoner of the United States, is detained at the city prison awaiting trial under an indictment for perjury, received notice from the commander of his company that his term of enlistment had expired and his name expunged from the roster of the company. The darkey received the good news with a great deal of cheerfulness, and now that he had been set free from army duty, he expressed a desire to be emancipated from prison restraint.

Some three years ago Varnum, Jeff Wilson and three other colored men by the names of Douglas, Logan and Edwards, were located at Fort Grant, in the White Mountain Indian reservation. There had been a cruel murder and robbery committed, and suspicion strongly pointed towards the five named worthies as the perpetrators of the deed. They were arrested, and before a grand jury composed of fifteen men, it is alleged that Varnum made a confession implicating his four companions. The jury had been empaneled under laws created by the alleged illegal territorial council, and the attorney for Wilson took advantage of this mooted question in the course of subsequent events, as the story will go to show. Wilson was tried before Judge Kibbey, in this city, and was convicted of murder in the first degree, notwithstanding the statements made on the witness stand by Varnum that his testimony before the grand jury was a string of untruths which he was forced to make through intimidations practiced by the officers of the law. At the conclusion of the trial Wilson was committed to the county jail where he still remains as a trusty awaiting the disposition of appeals in his case before being submitted to sentence, and Varnum was thrown into durango vile for perjury. The three remaining prisoners, Douglas, Logan and Edwards, were tried later on at Florence and acquitted, for lack of evidence, a number of important witnesses having located in parts unknown.

The attorney for Wilson appealed to the United States supreme court, and presented two exceptions. One was based on the legality of the grand jury and the other that the United States had no jurisdiction over the White Mountain Indian reservation, where the crime had been committed. The court returned an adverse decision, saying that exceptions to the jury should have been taken at the inception, regarding the jurisdiction of the court over the reservation the judges treated the exception as a presumption too inconsistent and outlandish to give even decent consideration.

Upon the receipt of these returns Wilson's attorney undertook a change of procedure. He suddenly discovered that the court that tried his client had made a number of errors, and with these he petitioned the territorial supreme court to reverse the decision of the lower court. The judges now in session in Phoenix have the exception under consideration and in all probability will decide them before adjournment.

L. J. Wood, agent for the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, the oldest Life Co. in the United States, and the largest one in the world. Jac. Martini has the finest lot of imported and domestic lunch goods ever brought to Phoenix, and the most fastidious epicure can be suited, as his line is complete, containing the rarest delicacies from all lands and climes. No. 475 East Washington street.

The new city directory will be a credit to Phoenix, and should receive the hearty support of our citizens.

**Capital Chop House.**  
Rear of Butler & Kelly's, saloon, fresh fish and oysters served in all styles and everything else in the season. Attentive service.

**Important.**  
Those suffering with any chronic disease should consult the San Francisco specialist now at the Mills house, who examines every case free of charge. This is important as those not able to take treatment now can be intelligently treated from the home dispensary afterwards. No charge for chemical analysis and examination. Have your case correctly diagnosed for your own satisfaction and future convenience. Will remain a few days longer. See ad. on page 4.

**Don't Take a Back Seat.**  
Nicholson the tailor is still to the front making good fitting suits. He never takes a back seat, you bet he don't. Satisfaction in every particular. D. Nicholson, Merchant tailor. Phoenix, A. T. Washington street opposite post office.

**Pratt.**  
Wholesale and retail stationers and jewelers, Phoenix Ariz.

**Lost.**  
A small Masonic pin, (Maltese cross) inscribed and mounted on a gold pin about two inches long. A suitable reward will be paid for the return of the pin to THE REPUBLICAN office.

**Dissolution Notice.**  
The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Greene & Wood is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All claims due this firm are to be paid to R. H. Greene, who also assumes all the indebtedness of said firm Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 18 1892.

R. H. GREENE.  
L. J. WOOD.  
Geo. R. Wootley & Co., successors.

**Attention Horsemen!**  
Call at W. H. Smith's shoeing shop at Gibson's livery stable on Washington street for all kinds of fine shoeing. From \$1.00 to \$4.00 according to quality of shoes. Guarantee to cure all quarter cracks and contracted heels.

**A Talented Musician.**  
Phoenix is the capital and has the best violinist in the United States. His name is Katscher, and he is stopping at

the Commercial. Although Mr. Katscher is but 21 years of age he is a graduate in classical music in Berlin, Paris and Vienna, standing at the head in each class. He has played in all the large cities of America and competed with some of the best violinists in the United States, but among them all he never found his superior. Phoenix can be congratulated on having as fine a musician as San Francisco, Chicago or New York. He is well pleased with Phoenix and thinks it one of the finest towns he has visited in America. He expects to enjoy its salubrious climate during the winter and will then continue his tour of the United States.

**The Brazil Coffee Crop.**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The coffee crop of Brazil is estimated to be 3,000,000 bags.

**FIRE AT YUMA.**  
Part of the Indian School Buildings Burned.

YUMA, Ariz., Jan. 15.—At an early hour yesterday morning a fire broke out in the Sisters' residence at Fort Yuma Indian school. The building and contents are a total loss. The origin of the fire is unknown.

**ADMISSION OF ARIZONA.**  
Delegate Smith Introduces a Bill for Statehood.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—A bill providing for the admission of Arizona under the constitution lately adopted has been introduced by Delegate Smith. The bill, without debate, was referred to the committee on territories.

**LEVEE MEETING.**

**THE COMMITTEES ARE APPOINTED AND READY FOR WORK.**

**It is Thought That About \$8000 Will be Required—Material of Cottonwood and Cobble Rock.**

Messrs. Monihon, John Y. T. Smith, Gibbs, Minor, Montgomery and Lutzgering is the committee appointed to solicit subscriptions for the levees along the river front. It is estimated that about \$8000 will be required to carry out the line of work as at present laid down. The levee will be about one mile in extent and built of cottonwood posts, ten feet apart on the front line and twenty on the back with the intermediate twenty feet filled in with brush and cobble rock. A string of barbed wires will be run along the top, interwoven at right angles in a substantial manner. The whole affair will be practically invulnerable against the floods when completed.

Subscriptions will be solicited from property owners along the line of the flooded districts last year and from others about town.

**PHOENIX BUSINESS MEN.**

**Items Picked Up by a Reporter Among the Merchants.**

Broken glass replaced at White's opposite Commercial Hotel.

For pure liquors and cigars, go to the Roma saloon, corner Monroe and montezuma streets. F. Cecchetti & Bro., proprietors.

Try one of Charlie Donofrio's 5 cents Cortado cigars.

Pianos sold and rented, A. Redewill. Tuning done. See ad elsewhere.

Tents and Wagon Sheets at Talbot & Hubbard's Hardware Store.

The street directory in the new city directory will embrace all the streets in the different additions to Phoenix.

G. W. Carlyle and E. Tapia as leaders, I. R. Owen and Lewis File as wheelers, with Shumaker at the helm strike the best gait of any team of barbers in Phoenix.

P. F. Nilson, the Jeweler, has removed his Jewelry Store to the Frye block, next door to the Bee Hive Store.

Plenty of good Mexican oranges at Charlie Donofrio's.

V. Joyeau, manufacturing and repairing jeweler, cor. Center and Adams sts.

Genuine Texas pecans at Charlie Donofrio's.

The new city directory will contain the names of all males over 18 years of age, young ladies who are self-supporting and widow ladies.

House, sign and carriage painting, paper hanging, John Q. White.

Use Tea Rose Borax soap.

See Dr. Smith the dentist at the Mills House. He extracts teeth without pain or harm.

Miss E. L. Borquez, Spanish teacher, residence, Center street.

The only reliable grocery store in the Territory in La Mariposa store.

The new city directory will contain a descriptive sketch of our city and vicinity.

One of the most elaborate assortments of candy ever brought to Phoenix at Charlie Donofrio's.

The Phoenix city directory will contain not only the names of all people residing in the city limits, but for a radius of two miles in each direction.

Isaac Gibbs at W. M. Nichols' blacksmith shop, corner Montezuma and Madison streets does first class horse-shoeing at reasonable prices. He shoes bronchos, stallions or gentle horses and will guarantee your horse not to interfere.

He also makes a specialty of deformed, diseased or damaged feet.

Buy your wall paper and have it hung by White, opposite Commercial Hotel.

The new city directory will contain a complete business directory, representing all the different professions and branches of business.

The new city directory is not gotten up by amateurs, and the work will be done with the end in view of making it a permanent institution of the city, subsequent issues to appear annually, or bi-annually, as the best interests of Phoenix may demand.

Best soap in the world, Tea Rose Borax.

Tempe and Mesa will be included in the new Phoenix city directory.

Best and cheapest family groceries at La Mariposa store.

## Legal.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

L. A. GRANT, plaintiff, vs. M. J. Wood and CHARLES SANFORD, Debt. Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 125th Court of the Third Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, docketed for the County of Maricopa, dated the 13th day of December, 1891, and to me as sheriff duly directed and delivered on a judgment rendered in said Court in the above entitled action for the sum of \$1841 and all costs of suit including 5 per cent attorney's fees with a foreclosure of a mortgage lien on the hereinafter described real estate and all costs to accrue, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim, and interest of the defendants in and to the following described real estate, to wit: That portion of the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28) Township two (2) North Range three (3) East, Gila and Salt River Meridian, situated in Maricopa county, Arizona, commencing at a point in the center of the Maricopa canal, one chain and thirty-five links west from the southeast corner of said section, thence following the course of said canal north-westerly to a point where the said canal intersects the quarter-section line running north and south through the center of said section, sixty-five south of the center of said section, hence south on the quarter-section line to the quarter-section corner on the south side of said section 28, thence east on the south line of section 28, to the place of beginning, as it existed on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1882.

Public notice is hereby given that at 12 o'clock, noon, on Saturday the 16th day of January, 1892, at the Court house door, in the city of Phoenix, Arizona, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States lawful money, all the right, title, claim, and interest of the defendants in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and all costs of suit.

Dated Dec. 16, 1891. J. B. MONTGOMERY, Sheriff.

## AMUSEMENTS.

At Devereux Opera House.

MONDAY EVENING Jan 18.

Special Engagement.

THE Noss Jollities

—OR—

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Introducing New Novelties, Songs, Dances, Sparkling Comedy, Musical Oddities, —AND— A Company of Comedians.

Secure your seats at the Opera House Drug Store.

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Call on

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Half Block Below Holtenbeck Hotel.

Lunch Counter.

Over the Telephone.

"Hello! Is that L. B. Gabbert at the Nickel Plate?"

"Have you any of those nice 'tenderloin steaks'?"

"Oh, yes."

"How about those delicious home-made mince and pumpkin pies?"

"Have plenty."

"And that excellent coffee?"

"We've had a big rush, but still have plenty."

"Who cooks all those good things at the Nickel Plate?"

"We employ white cooks and waiters only."

"Good! That's where I'm going to eat."

"We also keep fresh fish and oysters."

"All right, give me a dozen fried oysters. Will be right up."

Broke His Brother's Neck.

RICHMOND, Mo., Jan. 15.—Two brothers, named Andrew and Wm. Jackson, became involved in a quarrel at the home of their father, five miles north of this city, last night, when Andrew struck William across the neck with a pair of tongs, and instantly killed him. His neck was broken by the blow. The dead man had only been at home a few weeks, having lately returned from Dakota. The brothers were both of quarrelsome disposition, and both have been regarded as mentally unbalanced. Andrew has not yet been arrested.

The Morocco Revolt.

TANGIER, Jan. 15.—Information has reached this city which is practically belieged by natives in the rebellion against the Sultan, showing that revolutionary movements are preceeding.

## Hardware.

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## "ON TIME."

## "ACORN."

## PUMPS, PIPES

## and FITTINGS.

## SEWING

## MACHINES.

## PUMPS.

## A full line of Pumps, Pipe

## Fittings, and Brass Goods of

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## Standard Sewing Machines

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## Our Lease Expires!

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## We Must Sell Out Completely in that Short Time.

## VISITORS TO OUR STORE, DO NOT

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## AS OUR LOW PRICES

## CANNOT BE GAINSAID.

## All our Shelving and Fixtures for

## Sale, also a nicely Furnished Resi-

## dence, or Furniture for Sale and

## House to Let.

## The Great Eastern.

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## Feed Corral.

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## Adams and Cortez Streets

## Groceries.

## T. J. TRASK,

## STAPLE AND FANCY

## GROCERIES!

## Queensware,

## Glassware,

## Lamps and

## Stoneware.

## Agent for

## Safety Nitro Powder Co.

## WASHINGTON STREET,

## PHOENIX. ARIZONA.

## Jewelry.

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## DIAMONDS

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## AND HOWARD WATCHES.

## Finest work done at short notice. Orders by

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## GOLDMAN &amp; CO'S. SPECIAL Discount List:

15 per cent. on Every Suit in our Store.  
15 per cent. " " Hat  
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10 per cent. " Blankets and Comforts.  
10 per cent. " all Dress Goods.  
10 per cent. " Gingham and Shirting.  
10 per cent. " Sheetting and Muslin.

Remember this only lasts until Jan. 15, '92, And Positively on Cash Purchases Only.

Be sure and take advantage of this Great Discount Sale as you may rest assured it will knock all your chances in a thousand presents.

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## NERVOUS, CHRONIC, AND PRIVATE DISEASES

of both sexes, Female Weaknesses, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Catarrh, Dyspepsia, Liver, Kidney and Bladder troubles, Falling Powers, Lost Manhood from either errors of youth or excesses. The Doctor's method of locating the exact trouble by chemical analysis and the use of the MICROSCOPE is so searching and thorough that MISTAKES OR ERRORS in diagnoses are impossible no matter what your past experience has been. Help is now at hand if

## YOUR CASE IS CURABLE.

If not the Doctor will frankly tell you so. No incurable cases taken, but to afflicted ones the best advice will be given free. No Nonsense. The Doctor is a graduate physician and in addition to his hospital practice he has made a specialty of these diseases for the past 16 years.

**FREE**—Thorough examination including analysis of urine and microscopic test free. If you are diseased in any way call and be examined. All are invited. Office hours 9 to 5, evenings 6 to 8:30. Call on or address.

## DR. COOPER MEDICAL DISPENSARY,

Rooms 34 and 36, East Entrance, Mills House.

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